

BOOKSTALL

A new selection of books has arrived. Please take a look. If there is a Christian book or CD that you would like, we can always get it for you. We also supply Bible reading notes from Scripture Union and CWR.

LYFE GROUP

The Lyfe group meeting that should have taken place on Monday 23rd February will now take place on Monday 2nd March. The Wednesday and Friday meeting will take place next week at 7.30 p.m

THIS MONTH:

March 2009 is now available on a cream sheet. Items for the April monthly sheet should be submitted by Tuesday 24 March.

If you have items for the weekly notices, please submit them to the church office by 11.00 am on Thursday.

In the unlikely event of a fire, the fire alarm will sound. Please follow a Fire Marshall leaving by the nearest fire exit.

Assembly point: lower car park.

**Church office hours:
Tuesday-Friday 9.30 am - 12.30 pm
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WELCOME TO RIDGEWAY METHODIST CHURCH

If you would like to help us get to know you, please complete the following information.

Title (Mr/Mrs/Miss/Other)

CHRISTIAN NAME

SURNAME

POSTAL ADDRESS

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POSTCODE

TELEPHONE NUMBER

E-MAIL

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS HELPFUL

ARE YOU OFTEN HOME DURING THE DAYTIME?

YES / NO *(please delete)*

..... I have just moved to the area.

..... I am interested in joining the church.

..... I would like to know more about Gift Aid

..... I would like the minister to call

..... I would like information about

.....

(please tick as appropriate).

Please put in the office post box in the church entrance or pass to a steward. Personal information given on this form may be stored on computer.

If you are on holiday please take our greetings to your home church.



Welcome to
**Ridgeway
Methodist Church**
22 February 2009

10.30 am

Major Pamela Smith
(Salvation Army)

Please join us for coffee/tea
after the morning service

7.00 pm

Judith Walker
(Local Preacher,
Plymouth Methodist Central Hall)

PRAYER FOR TODAY

Lord, in the clouds and darkness of this world, grant us a glimpse of your glory, that we set ourselves to share in the bringing of your kingdom. As you refresh and restore us, may we work for the renewal of your world - through Christ our Lord, who reigns with you and your life-giving spirit.

AMEN

This Week's Bible Verse



He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will rest in the shadow of the Almighty. I will say to the Lord, "He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust."

Psalms 91:1-2.

THIS MORNING'S ORDER OF SERVICE

Hymns and songs are projected. If you would like a copy of Hymns & Psalms (HP) and Songs of Fellowship (SF) please ask a door steward for the books and refer to the list below.

SF 425 Oh Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder

SF 40 Be still, for the presence of the Lord

SF220 I know not why God's wondrous grace

SF19 Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound

SF780 How deep the Fathers love for us

SF514 Such love, pure as the whitest snow

HP463 To God be the Glory

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THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Monday 23 February:

9.00 am - 1.00 pm Pre-school

6.00 pm Boys' Brigade

7.30 pm Minister's Bible Study

Tuesday 24:

9.00 am-2.40 pm Pre-school

10.00 am-11.30 am Parent/Toddler Group

10.00 am-12.00 Patchwork Group

3.00 - 4.00 pm Cake Café

7.45 pm Ladies' Group: Audrey Williams (Cystic Fibrosis)

Wednesday 25:

9.00 am-1.00 pm Pre-school

10.00 am-12.30 pm Coffee followed by lunches

Thursday 26

9.00 am-1.00 pm Pre-school

10.00 am-11.30 am Parent/Toddler Group

2.45 pm Women's Fellowship: Rev. Ambrose Wright

5.45 pm Girls' Brigade

Friday 27:

9.00 am-2.40 pm Pre-School

10.00 am-11.30 am . Parent/Toddler Group

4.00-6.00 pm Badminton

Saturday 28:

10.00 am-12.00 pm Oasis Coffee Bar:

Church funds: (Boys Brigade, Katie Martin)

Sunday 1st March:

10.30 am Rev John Haley (Holy Communion)

7.00 pm Mrs Kate Konrad

PLEASE PRAY FOR ...

Major Pam Smith and Judith Walker who are leading our services today; the family and friends of Daphne; the family and friends of Bryony; the family and friends of Roger Coleman; Andy Fair; Novello Patterson; Jo and Matt; Rose Pearson; Pam and Ronnie; Jane Spry, who has been off work ill.

PRAYER DIARY

Requests for prayer are included in the prayer diary for three weeks. After the third week you can renew these requests if you have updated information. Please inform a steward of your request. Prayer cards are also available for use or to be given to family or friends who might wish to send in requests.

CHURCH HEATING: A REMINDER FOR LEADERS

If you have used the worship area, would you please check before leaving, that the heating thermostat (on the wall by the electrics cupboard) is on number 15 and that the radiators are on 4. This will help to ensure that the heating comes on correctly for the next time the worship area is used.

OFFICE NEWS

We are sorry that Jane Spry, our office and minister's secretary has been unwell for the past two weeks. Jane has had a reoccurrence of the ear infection that kept her off work in December. We hope Jane gets well soon. Please note that there might be a delay attending to items that are going through the office until Jane is back.

CELL GROUPS

Cell groups are meeting as usual this week. More information from Mike Tozer or one of the stewards.

BARONESS COX

Baroness Cox is a champion of human rights and will be speaking at the Guildhall in Plymouth on Thursday 5 March at 7.30pm. See separate leaflet for further information or ask Simon Rogers.